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UNAVOIDABLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(a)Docket Number (Optional)
00-032

First named inventor: JAMES A. JORASCH

Group Art Unit: 3713

Application Number: 09/597,801

Examiner: Y. Cherubin

Filed: June 20, 2000

Title: GAMING TOKEN HAVING A VARIABLE VALUE

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- (2) Reply and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee -- required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995, and for all design applications; and
- (4) Adequate showing of the cause of unavoidable delay

1. Petition fee

small entity - fee \$ _____ (37 CFR 1.17(l)).
 small entity statement enclosed herewith.
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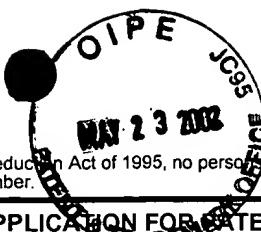
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Since this utility/plant application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.

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4. An adequate showing of the cause of the delay, and that the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(a) was unavoidable, is enclosed.

May 20, 2002

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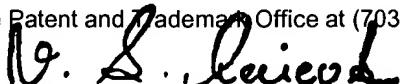
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(In the space provided below, please explain in detail the reasons for the delay in filing a proper reply)

Applicants filed a Transmittal Letter with a Response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed on November 7, 2001 (Paper No. 5) on February 7, 2002.

Enclosed, please find Exhibit "A", which is a copy of the printout regularly updated and utilized in tracking actions throughout prosecution history of Applicant's patent applications, indicating that the action was timely filed.

Exhibit "B" is a copy of the return receipt postcard which is stamped by USPTO confirming that the above-referenced documentation was received on February 25, 2002.

Additionally, enclosed are copies of the Transmittal Letter and the Response which according to the Patent Examiner have been misplaced by the USPTO.

CONCLUSION

In view of the above, Applicants respectfully request that the USPTO grant the petition to withdraw the holding of abandonment for this application and continue with the prosecution proceedings.

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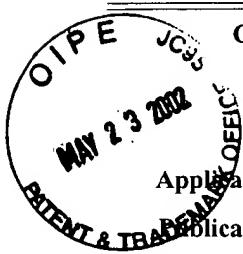
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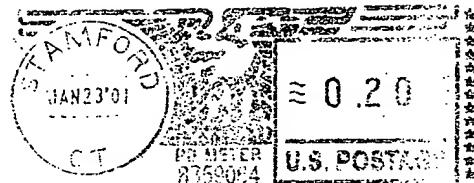
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